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In re Application of: Robert T. Bell et al.  
Serial No.: 09/032,083  
Filing Date: February 27, 1998  
Group Art Unit: 2663  
Examiner: Huy D. Vu  
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PERFORMING SIGNALING  
ON BEHALF OF A STATELESS CLIENT

ATTENTION: OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN

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LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN

In order to conform the drawings of this application to its related applications, Applicants respectfully request approval to amend FIGURES 2, 5, and 6. Corrected formal drawings have been submitted herewith and a copy of these drawings and the transmittal of formal drawings are attached hereto for your convenience and review.

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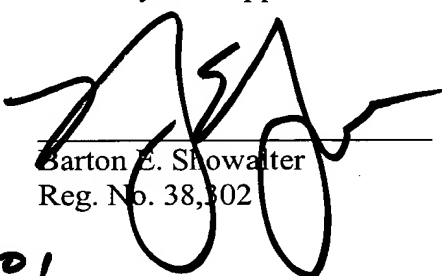
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REMARKS

Applicants request approval for the above-stated amendment to the drawings. The Examiner objected to the drawings under 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(g) and 1.84(p). An amended FIGURE 2, correcting poor line quality, is submitted for the approval of the Examiner and the Official Draftsman. Additionally, amended FIGURES 5 and 6, correcting margins, are submitted for the approval of the Examiner and the Official Draftsman. It is submitted that no new matter is added by this amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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